

IN THE ABSTRACT

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REPLACEMENT ABSTRACT

~~The invention relates to a~~ A high-pressure discharge lamp
~~provided with~~ includes a discharge vessel ~~comprising~~ having a wall
of a ceramic material., ~~and provided with~~ The lamps also includes
at least a feedthrough of an electrode having a cermet rod. The
cermet rod is connected at a first end to a first end of a
predominantly tungsten electrode pin by ~~means of a welded joint.~~
~~which~~ The electrode pin is in line with the cermet rod. ~~According~~
~~to the invention, the electrode pin and~~ has, at its first end, a
solidified tungsten melt that is located near the interface between
electrode pin and cermet rod.

~~Fig. 1~~